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### SLIPPERY PLACES.

That Caused Many Proud Pedestrians to Be Brought To Earth.

The streets were covered with sleet all day Thursday and there were many falls of people and animals. Two serious accidents were reported, though many persons got bumps and bruises. A horse belonging to R. S. Ambrose broke a hip bone by a fall, but the animal was attended to by a veterinarian and may be saved. While the streets were at their slickest, Commissioner Bassett had several barrels of salt sprinkled upon them. This to some extent helped the situation in the shopping district. The sidewalks were so slick that a good many who were passing saloons slipped in.

Sterling Silver Pie Server, \$1.25 Hardwick's special.

### HAVE MOVED.

Radford & Johnson, the real estate men, will move their office from corner of Ninth and Main to the Forbes office building, to be occupied next year by W. R. Wheeler & Co. They will have the room formerly known as the directors' room.

### KILL THE PEST

War on The English Sparrow To Be Nation Wide.

The League of American Sportsmen, whose office is at 1,110 Simpson Street New York, has declared a war of extermination on the English sparrow and is prepared to continue the fight vigorously and aggressively three years if need be. It will require a large sum of money to carry on this campaign properly, and the league requests persons who are in favor of such a war to contribute to the fund now being raised for that purpose.

Checks should be made payable to the order of J. Adams Brown, President of the New Netherland Bank, 41 West 34th Street, New York, who is the Treasurer of the league, and who is well known in financial circles. Checks may mailed direct to him or to the league at its office as above.

G. O. SHIELDS, President.

Ivory Manicure Sets \$3.50 up Hardwick's

MORRIS-CANNON.

License to wed was issued yesterday to Lawrence Henry Morris and Miss Ethel Cannon, both of this city. They are each 20 years of age. The groom is a son of Charlie Morris and the bride a daughter of J. T. Cannon.

### STILL HAVE HEARTS LEFT

Lieutenant's Story Shows That the Big War Has Not Completely Brutalized the Soldiers.

"It seems terrible to go on each day killing men you do not know, men for whom you have no personal hatred, and men you do not even see," says a German Lieutenant of artillery. "Even at Verdun, where the fighting is in a very small radius, it is very rarely that one sees the enemy. We shoot all day long in a given direction, we point our guns at towers, steeples and stone walls, and they all fall down as though they were houses made of cards. The trees are all splinters and there is nothing left around but rubbish and piles of stones, and yet it is very seldom even in this barren landscape that a Frenchman is seen."

"Whenever I order a shot to be fired on a visible enemy I always think of the French captain we found lying in the road near Vaux. A bullet had gone through his back into his breast, which was swollen in a great lump. For three days he had been lying there, beside a dead man who had lost both legs. My men went over to him and gave him hot coffee and some bread. His thanks were most pitiful. He tried to kiss their hands and he insisted on giving one fellow his sword. Words cannot tell the agony he must have suffered in those three days. We had no time to do anything more for him—we did not even have time for our own men—but later I found our sanitas people took him to a field hospital. Our men who got acquainted with him said he was a splendid fellow."

### NOT PLEASING HIM



"Is your husband difficult to please in the matter of dress?"

"Very. When I get a gown that he likes he doesn't like the bill, and when the bill suits him he doesn't care a rap for the gown."

### AMERICAN HOMES TOO HOT.

Americans use too much heat. Their houses are too warm. They don't get enough of the cold in winter to strengthen their bodies, according to Dr. Arthur Still Craig, in the Osteopathic Magazine. His article is timely because of the rapid approach of fall.

"In England, France and Germany a great deal less artificial heat is used than in this country," he says, "reducing the amount of sickness and of money spent for coal. This economy is a splendid disease preventive. This is not a mere vagary of mine; I have tested this theory in part and expect to carry it out at fuller length."

### STRIKING AN AVERAGE.

Nipp—That fellow Bighedde is generally disliked.  
Tuck—Yes, but his opinion of himself brings the average pretty well up.

### NOT ANY MORE.

"You used to give bread and pickles with this order."  
"The old order changeth," was the waiter's reply.

### VERY OBLIGING.

"I just went up to Jones and told him I didn't like his face."  
"What did he do?"  
"He changed countenance."

### FITTING EJACULATION.

"I see where the British are now stopping consignments of false teeth to Germany."  
"By gum!"

### ITS NATURAL PLACE.

"How is this conference about Mexican affairs going?"  
"Well on the way."

### MOURN LOSS OF DOCUMENT

Catholic Appeal for Return of Washington Letter Taken From Archives at Baltimore.

The original of the letter addressed by George Washington to the Catholics of the United States, which disappeared from a safe-deposit vault under the sanctuary of the Baltimore cathedral, in which Cardinal Gibbons also has stored away important church documents, is believed to have been stolen by some overzealous collector.

In the Catholic Review a notice of the letter's disappearance is printed, together with the request that it be returned to Cardinal Gibbons. A letter found in the vault shows that this document was loaned by Archbishop Spaulding to John Gilmary Shea, a writer, in 1865. The article continues:

"Distinctly, there are no suspicions of its having been lost in that year. It is a document so dear to American Catholics that it should be located. And, what is more, it should be returned to its rightful possessor—the archbishop of Baltimore."

"It is therefore hoped that some overzealous historian, antiquarian or collector of documents will honestly return this letter to the archives of the Cathedral of Baltimore, where there will be joy in the archives over one antiquarian doing penance."

The loss was discovered in course of the work of indexing the documents in the vault.

### VIEWPOINT



"Say, pa, what is your idea of the simple life?"

"Being allowed to sit around in my shirt-sleeves, my boy, especially in summer."

### PLAYTHINGS FOR LIONS.

Superintendent Anthony McNeally of the zoo tells me he decided to give Jim and Babe, the two big lions in the roundhouse, something to amuse themselves with, so the other day two wooden spheres about the size of the old-fashioned bowling balls were received. These were very gingerly placed in the cages. From the moment the big natives of the jungle got their first glimpse of them no three-ring circus ever held any livelier program. As a cat plays with a mouse, so did they knock about the balls of wood. The latter are indestructible, however, and try as hard as they may the lions cannot tear them to pieces.—Boston Post.

### SMELLS LIKE A FIRE SALE.

The odor of a fire sale clings to the home of a Fulton man whose wife went visiting after she had been pressing up a few things with her electric iron. When she returned the iron had burned through the table, carpet and floor. The damage was not great when measured by actual loss, but everything in the house smells as if it had been bought at about 30 cents on the dollar.—Kansas City Times.

### THE SORROW OF IT.

"Take away woman and what would follow?" howled the vinegar-visaged female who was lecturing on women's rights.

But, alas, poor thing! No one answered.

Had she been a pretty, unobtrusive, womanly woman, she would have known without asking that man would follow.

### THRIFT.

"What for does Donald tak' sic lang stries nooadays?"

"He says it disna wear oot his 'hoes sae quick."—Passing Show.

### THE MEAN MAN.

"When can I buy that dream of a bonnet, hubby?" "When you go shopping while you're walking in your sleep, dear."

## RED CROSS SEAL FIGURES

325,000,000 Holiday Stickers Already Distributed In United States.



Few people have any conception of the magnitude of the Red Cross Christmas Seal Campaign. Here are a few figures that will show what a gigantic movement this is. Already 325,000,000 Seals have been printed and practically that entire number distributed to agents in every state and territory of the Union from Alaska to the Canal Zone, from Porto Rico to Hawaii, and even in the far-off Philippines. Advertising circulars, posters, cards, etc., to the number of several million, have also been distributed. Not less than 1,000,000 personal letters asking people to buy Seals have been sent out. It is estimated that the army of workers, nearly all of whom are volunteers, engaged in selling the Seals numbers well over 500,000. The advertising and publicity devoted to the campaign amounts to several hundred thousand dollars. Every effort is being put forth to sell 100,000,000 Seals, or only one for every man, woman and child in the United States. This will mean \$1,000,000 for the anti-tuberculosis campaign in the United States. Over 1,500 anti-tuberculosis associations of the country derive their support from Red Cross Seals. If the good work is to go on, you must help.

Marie Antonette China Hardwick's.

### HANDSOME SERVICE.

The silver service presented as a bridal present to Mr. and Mrs. Lucian M. Cayce, who were married last Wednesday, is one of the handsomest sets in this part of the State. It was presented by Messrs. Ed R. Tandy and Thos. B. Fairleigh, and the cost ran well up into the hundreds of dollars. Mrs. Cayce was Miss Bertha Jones, of Oak Grove, Ky.

The equestrian statue of Simon Bolivar, to be presented to the City of New York by the Venezuelan government, is to be made from a design by Mrs. Sally James Farnham, a New York sculptor.

Compare Hardwick's prices on Diamonds.

### Got His Own Price.

W. W. Barbee, of Oak Grove, on Thursday sold his crop of 11,000 pounds of tobacco to the American Snuff Co. for \$12.50 round. He got his own price.

Hardwick's Sterling Twelve inch Cut Glass Hat Pins 25 cents a Vase at one dollar Hardwick's.



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### MOVIES IN CHURCH

Paducah Congregation Decides to Have Up-to-Date Show.

Paducah, Ky., Dec. 22—The board of the Kentucky avenue Presbyterian church upon the recommendation of the pastor, Rev. J. D. Harley, voted to purchase a first-class motion picture machine and subscribe to a film service for use on Sundays at the church. The pictures will be of a nature sufficiently popular to draw the crowd. "I believe it will fill the church," said the Rev. Mr. Harley to a reporter, "and I consider it as legitimate as the spoken word in advancing church worship. We are going to get the best machine money can buy."

See Hardwick's windows for biggest \$1.00 Vase ever shown.

Coming to Hopkinsville.

W. J. Frances, who recently sold his business interests at Cerulean to T. O. Turner, has bought a residence on West Seventh street in Hopkinsville and will move his family to that city the first of the year. He will probably engage in business in Hopkinsville.—Record.

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